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**TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
HEALTH RELATED BOARDS
MEMORANDUM**

Date: April 16, 2020
To: Shelley Walker, Director of Communications and Media Relations
From: Kimberly Hodge, Massage Board Director 1
Name of Board or Committee: Tennessee Massage Licensure Board
Date of Meeting: May 11, 12, 2020
Time: 9:00 a.m., Central Time
Place: Iris Room
665 Mainstream Drive
Nashville, TN 37243

Due to COVID-19 gathering restrictions, please join us in our virtual meeting which is open to the public using the instructions below.

During the meeting, please join using the information below:

Join as an attendee: <https://tngov.webex.com/tngov/onstage/g.php?MTID=e4f8f102b119c080ffa2b8e7bdd300563>
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Link to Recording: **May 11, 2020 Board Meeting Link**

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May 12, 2020 Board Meeting Link

<https://tdh.streamingvideo.tn.gov/Mediasite/Play/b4de70f4e659452dbe4e8a2ddc0124531d>

Major Item(s) on Agenda for Board Meeting:

1. Review and approve the minutes from the February 10, 11, 2020 meeting.
2. Receive, discuss, and/or update Board on New Business in Administrative Office
3. Receive reports and/or requests from the Office of General Counsel.
 - a. Contested Cases
 - b. Consent Orders
 - c. Agreed Orders
 - d. Agreed Citations
 - e. Orders of Compliance
 - f. Request for Order Modification
4. Receive reports and/or requests from the Director/Manager.
5. Receive reports and/or requests from the Division of Health Licensure and Regulation (Financial Report) if needed.
6. Receive reports and/or requests from the Office of Investigation's Disciplinary Coordinator.
7. Review, approve/deny, and ratify new licensure files.
8. Review, approve/deny, and ratify Agreed Citations for continuing education violations and lapsed licenses.
9. Applicant file review if needed
10. Applicant interviews
11. Review and discuss legislation and take action if needed.
12. Ratify approved continuing education courses if needed.
13. Review board correspondence.
14. Review approval requests for continuing education courses and providers if needed.
15. Consider requests for continuing education waivers if needed.
16. Review quarterly update from the Tennessee Professional Assistance Program.
17. Discuss and take action on school approvals and /or program changes if necessary.
18. Review and revise if necessary Board policy regarding distance learning.
19. Review, discuss, and revise if necessary the requirements for the 2019/2020 Continuing Education cycle.
20. Discuss and take action if necessary whether "stretching" sessions being offered by unlicensed therapist

is a violation of the practice act.

21. Receive an update regarding the Massage Board's self-sufficiency hearing before the Joint Government Operations Committee on January 27, 2020.
22. Discuss and take action if needed regarding rulemaking hearings, rule amendments, and policies.
23. Public Comments and receive, discuss and determine future agenda items.
24. Adjournment

NOTE: Any business not concluded on Monday May 11, 2020 will be conducted on Tuesday May 12, 2020.

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